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Location: South side of Craig Road between Buildings 201 and 202
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Date of Construction: 1957

Significance: Building 233 is associated with the continued use of Frankford Arsenal as
an important U.S. Army's post during the decades following World War II.

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HISTORY

Building 233 was built as an open shed in 1957 and most recently used as an ordnance facility. The north side was enclosed in 1959.

DESCRIPTION

Building 233 is a one-story shed, sharing walls with Buildings 201 and 202. Its north wall is of galvanized metal with overhead freight door and its south wall is of concrete block. The building measures approximately 101 feet by 33 feet. The shed roof is of corrugated metal. The interior space is open.

SOURCE

John Milner Associates, "Historical and Archeological Survey of Frankford Arsenal," West Chester, PA: John Milner Associates, 1979.

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